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Inventor(s): **Brian JOSEPH**

Title: **STORAGE EFFICIENT MINIMIZATION LOGIC**

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (1) ☒ Patent Application Specification, including Abstract and claims - 19 pages
- (2) ☒ Three (3) sheets of formal drawings, together with transmittal letter
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- (9) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, together with PTO Form 1449 and copies of cited references
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are three (3) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-referenced patent application.

Please advise the undersigned attorney if correction is necessary.

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